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The Cedarville Herald.

TWENTY-SIXTH YEAR. NO. 6.

CEDARVILLE, OHIO, FRIDAY, JANUARY 30, 1903.

PRICE \$1.00 A YEAR.

U. P. CHURCH HISTORY BY REV. F. O. ROSS

The article this week consists of two tributes, one by a son, the other by an ex-pastor.

A tribute to the United Presbyterian Church of Cedarville, Ohio, by Rev. J. R. Kyle.

Although I was not born in the United Presbyterian church of Cedarville, Ohio, I received her ministrations during the greater part of my boyhood years, under her former denominational name—the Associate Reformed church. My father and mother united with that church shortly after her organization and when I was some ten years of age.

The first Sabbath school I ever attended was in that church. It was there I made confession of my faith in Christ and was received into church fellowship. For these reasons, if, for no other, the church of Cedarville, now venerable with years, is and always will be, very dear to me. I cannot, perhaps, better express my affection for her than in the language of the One Hundred and Second Psalm, as we have it in the revised version now in use in the public praise of that old home church.

"For in her rubbish and her stones Thy servants pleasure take;
Yea, they the very dust thereof Do flavor for her sake."

I therefore gladly comply with the request of my pastor, who for some months has been engaged in writing her history, to write a brief tribute to the church of my boyhood.

I have a very vivid recollection of the names of most of the families of that church as it was in the early years of her existence, together with the joys in which they sat. I recall how quickly those pews were filled by parents and children when the bell in the church tower ceased tolling at the hour of service on the Lord's day and how, when seated, their reverent attitude expressed the words of Cornelius, addressed to Peter: "Now therefore we are all here present before God, to hear all things that are commanded thee of God."

I think it would not be out of place to call the roll of some of the families of which that church was composed more than half a century ago. Finley Stewart and family, James Bogie and family, Levi Mitchell and family, William Bull and family, David M. Kyle and family, Samuel Barber and family, John Turnbull and family, Mrs. Elizabeth Turnbull and family, Thomas Townsley and family, James McCoy and family, Samuel Kyle and family, John Frazier and family, George Jackson and family, Frank Wright and family, and Thomas Gibson and family. But I need not give them all. These were among the most intelligent, substantial and godly families of that whole community. They were a people whose religion was not simply a name, but they lived righteously and walked humbly before God. In the home of each of these families, was the family altar where morning and evening prayer was regularly offered. There was no mistaking the reality of either the family or individual religious life. And what was equally important and commendable, the children were religiously trained from their infancy in these homes and taken to the house of God on the Lord's day, with conscientious regularity, it was thus that they were trained into the habit of church going, which made that duty in after years

SUSPECTS ARE RELEASED.

The Harris murder case is still about as deep as ever, that is as far as the public is aware at the present time.

Last Friday afternoon Eliza Shingledecker, or "Little Kid," was brought before Mayor McFarland on the charge of being implicated in the murder of Jacob Harris. The defendant pleaded not guilty to the charge.

Lee Shroades was the first witness for the state. His testimony showing that he saw Harry Barlow, Tom Tracy, Charles Jeffries and "Kid" Shingledecker at the railroad crossing the night of the murder between 8:30 and 9:00 o'clock p. m.

Harry Barlow was placed on the stand he having been in at Kerr & Hastings about 8:30 to inform Mr. Kerr that he thought some one was stealing coal. Says he saw Shroades in at Kerr & Hastings but was not at the railroad crossing. Then went home about 9:00 o'clock. Witness stated that he had been at the Harris home about one week before the murder. Had seen Harris with money while at work.

R. F. Kerr testified that Harry Barlow was in store but did not see any one at the railroad crossing when going home.

Ed Banks first heard of murder of Harris through Sallie Jeffries at her home. Said Jennie found him on the floor. Witness did not go to the Harris home after hearing the news. Did not see Jeffries, Shingledecker or McMillan. Could not identify the coat held as evidence in the case. Never saw it before, but has seen Charles Jeffries wear a coat very similar.

Dad Ballard, employed at Ervin's lime works. Worked Friday but did not see Shingledecker or Jeffries night of murder. Knows nothing about murder. Upon being questioned witness stated that he had heard Charles Jeffries say that he would take the electric chair rather than have any one come in between him and his girl, Jennie Jeffries, nee Bowers, of Solon. Says he heard him say he would kill who ever tried to separate them. Has seen this same girl coming from Harris home. Thinks it was about three months ago.

George White testified that he has seen Charles Jeffries wear a coat which he thinks was alike the one held by the officers.

ENGLAND'S NEW LAW.

A new liquor law became effective in England on January 1. Its radical and comprehensive provisions are arousing interest and comment in all circles of society from the highest to the lowest, because the law effects all the fashionable clubs of Pall Mall as well as the dirtiest public in White Chapel. Until this act passed, mere drunkenness had not been a crime. This act declares it to be such. Drunkenness among women in England has increased shockingly in the last two decades. The new law, for the first time, enables a husband to obtain legal separation from an habitual drunken wife and a wife from a drunken husband. Under the new act the sale of liquor is prohibited to an habitual drunkard for a period of three years after conviction. So that there may not be any doubt as to the identity of such drunkards the law provides that particulars shall be sent by the court to the police authorities concerned in each case. The police are compelled to notify all saloon-keepers in the drunkard's neighborhood of his conviction as an habitual drunkard. The police are preparing to obtain photographs of the habitual drunkards, copies of which will be privately circulated by the saloon-keeper's association to all saloons in order to protect saloon proprietors against the penalty for the violation of the law. If the habitual drunkard attempts within three years to obtain intoxicants anywhere he is liable to a heavy fine, while anybody who assists an habitual drunkard, directly or indirectly, to obtain liquor will be heavily fined. This clause makes it a finable offense for anybody to treat a drunkard. Anyone found drunk in a public place may be arrested; persons drunk while in charge of a child under seven years of age may be arrested and are liable to a fine or imprisonment, or both.

I have some very nice Blankets in stock now and at prices that are very low, considering the quality. Call in when you are ready to purchase. Don, the Harness man.

POLITICIANS AND POLITICAL NEWS.

A few days back Representative Cain of Morgan and Noble counties came to Columbus to have Milton James, of Noble county, reappointed as a deputy under Hon. Horace Aukney, Dairy and Food commissioner. After Dr. Cain had called on Mr. Aukney he sent James in to speak for himself when the following conversation is said to have taken place:

"What church are you in the habit of attending?" It was the commissioner elect who was speaking.

"Wh-h-hat's that?" asked James, who could not believe his ears.

"I asked you what church you were in the habit of attending."

"The fact is," was the slow answer, "that I haven't been attending church lately."

The interview ended a few minutes afterward, and James went out to get the fresh air. Later in the day it became known that James was not to be reappointed, and the news was conveyed to Dr. Cain. It was at this point that his seamanship ought to have come to his aid, but he could not swear a sentence. All that he could do was to freely murmur: "Godamite! why do politics coming to anyhow? Do you attend church? Wow!"

COLORED VOTERS CONVENTION.

The Colored Voters Convention will be held in Xenia, Friday, January 31, at 2:00 and 7:30 o'clock p. m. The following is the program:

1. Music, The Beethoven Musical Club of Xenia.
2. Invocation, Chaplain S. J. Patterson, Cedarville.
3. Music.
4. Address, The Colored Voters Convention; Its History and Aim, President Henry Y. Arnett, Wilberforce.
5. Address, The Strength of Organization, Prof. Charles T. Bowen, Jamestown.
6. Music.
7. Address, The Negro in Politics, President J. H. Jones, Wilberforce University.
8. Address, Our Government, Pastor, Zion Baptist Church, Rev. O. O. Jones.
9. Music.
10. Address, The Good Citizen, Mr. D. T. Johnson, Yellow Springs.
11. Address, The Duty of the Hour, Pastor, St. John Church, Rev. M. F. Sydes.
12. Address, The Power of the Ballot, Pastor, Baptist Church, Rev. Peter Everett.
13. Music.
14. Address, Deserved Recognition, How Secured, Prof. Foster S. Alexander, Cedarville.
15. Address, Power of the Press, Editor, D. H. V. Purnell.
16. Music.
17. Address, Prof. T. D. Scott, Principal, Xenia High School.
18. Special announcements and Adjournment.

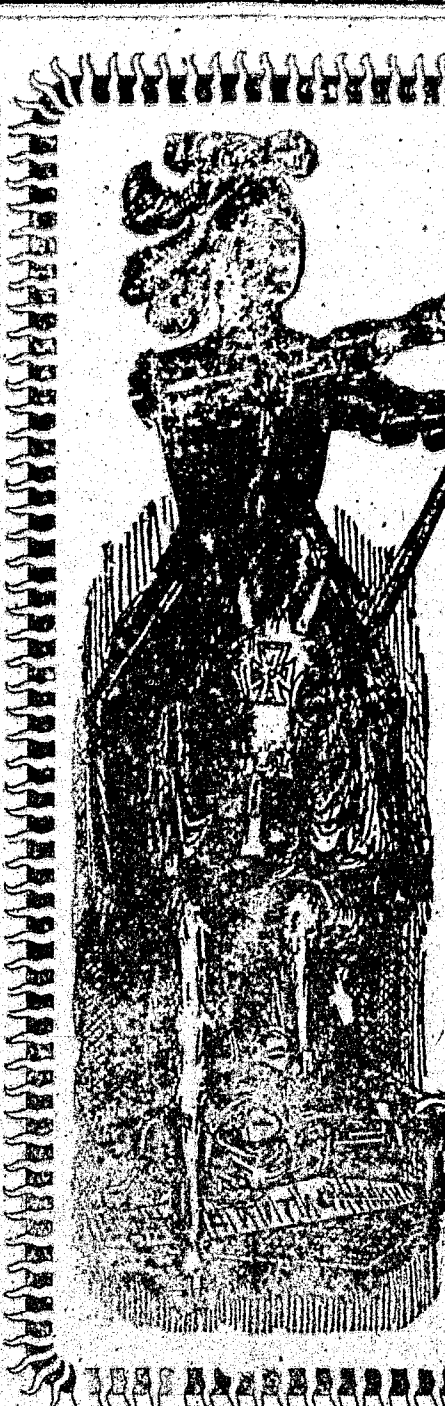
LIST OF LETTERS.

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the Cedarville postoffice for the month ending Jan. 30, 1903.

List No. 5.
Drain, Mrs. Jennie
Green, Frances
Kitch, W. M.
Ross, Thomas.

T. N. TARDON, P. M.

In Ohio at present a bird on the hat is not worth two in the bush—in case a deputy game warden chances to spy it.



GREAT CHALLENGE SALE

7th Great Semi-Annual Clearance Sale

Now going on will positively close
Sat'y, February 7, 1903.

Men's and Boy's
Clothing, Hats and Furnishings
At Remarkable Price Reductions.
Don't Miss This Great Money-Saving Event!!

THE WHEN

The Big Store Little Prices
Arcade, Springfield, O.

CELEBRATION OF THE

Centennial Session of the
Cedarville Farmers' Institute
...to be held in the...
Opera House, Cedarville, Feb'y 18-19th, 1903.

WEDNESDAY, 9 o'clock.

Music, Prayer, Otterbein Quartette.
The Necessary Character and Development of Valuable Assistants on the Farm, Dr. Morton Otterbein Quartette.
Discussion, John A. Sheffield.

Music, Otterbein Quartette.
Paper, Optimism of Rural Life, O. E. Dobbins.
Advantages of Well-Bred Live Stock, George E. Scott.

Music, Otterbein Quartette.
Appointment of Committees.

MUSIC, AFTERNOON SESSION, 1 o'clock.
Music, Farm Labor Problem; Shall I Rent or Hire, Otterbein Quartette.
Discussion, George E. Scott.

Music, Otterbein Quartette.
What I Saw in a Cornfield, O. E. Bradford.
Paper, Farm and School, Mrs. T. C. Wolford.
Question Box, John A. McClain, Xenia, O.
Recitation, William Doherty, Otterbein Quartette.
Arrangement of the Farmers' Kitchen, John A. Sheffield.

MUSIC, NIGHT SESSION, 7 o'clock.
Music, Prayer, Otterbein Quartette.
Who Shall Follow in Our Footsteps, Rev. Ross Otterbein Quartette.
Reading, Address, Miss Clara Kemler, Springfield, O.
Be Modern, Prof. C. S. Plumb, of O. S. U., Columbus, O.
Music, Helen Oglesbee.
Miss Marie Garlough, Clinton, O.
Otterbein Quartette.

THURSDAY, 9 o'clock.

Music, Prayer, Otterbein Quartette.
Aids and Obstacles in Farming, Rev. Middleton Otterbein Quartette.
Discussion, John A. Sheffield.

Music, Otterbein Quartette.
Address, Profitable Pork Production, Prof. C. S. Plumb, of O. S. U., Columbus, O.
Of What Use Are Commercial Fertilizers, George E. Scott.

MUSIC, AFTERNOON SESSION, 1 o'clock.
Music, Otterbein Quartette.
Report of Committees, Otterbein Quartette.
John A. Sheffield.

Music, Farming as a Life Work, Otterbein Quartette.
Discussion, Miss Inez Comer, Jamestown, O.
Song, Paper, Some By-products of Nature Study, Mary Bradford.
Question Box, R. E. Corey.
Music, Otterbein Quartette.
Address, Sheep for the Farmer, Prof. C. S. Plumb.
Recitation, Frank Young, George E. Scott.

MUSIC, OFFICERS.
S. K. WILLIAMSON, Pres.
H. N. COB, Vice Pres.
A. H. CRESWELL, Sec'y.
R. E. CORRY, End V. P.
Executive Committee.
MRS. J. C. WILLIAMSON, C. C. LACKEY.
WILLIAM CHERRY.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the share holders of the Cedarville Building and Loan Association will take place at the mayor's office, Cedarville Ohio, Saturday, February 7, 1903, for the election of directors, and for such other business as may come before the meetings. Polls open from seven to nine.
ANDREW JACKSON, Sec'y.

A CORRECTION.

In my announcement last week, I stated that Rev. Jesse Johnson, D. D. was professor of Church History and Apologetics. I should have said he is professor of Church History. I take pleasure in making this correction, which I feel is due Dr. Johnson and the community he represents.
Respectfully,
W. R. McManis.

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ALL OVER THE HOUSE.
Discretion in Selecting Wall Papers and Borders.
You hear much talk about one paper having "a good design" and another having "a poor design." Not one person in a thousand really knows what a good design is. Let it you put a poor design upon your walls you will injure the effect of your room without being able to account for it. Follow the better part of valor, as you so often do in buying address goods, get a plain color, always satisfactory, "not likely to go out of fashion," and so on. Be wary in the matter of borders and friezes. In these a good design is seldom to be had. Also, they are generally too narrow, obliging you to put your pictures at the juncture with the wall paper, which may be entirely the wrong place for it. The right place for a picture molding is even with the tops of the different heights of doors and windows, and it should be even with the greatest at number.
A simple and satisfactory way of treating a room is to carry the coloring of the ceiling down to the picture molding, possibly eighteen inches or more, and let the paper begin there. Obviously the ceiling should be one of the lightest shades of the paper or else cream color. Some pretty rooms have been made by selecting a good paper frieze and calimining or painting the rest of the wall to match one of its darker colors. If the frieze is not wide enough its lower edge may be set at the proper height and the ceiling color carried down to its upper edge. The upper edge of leaves or some other irregularity may even be cut out before pasting it upon the wall.—Isabel McDougall in Pillgrim.
Crash Curtains.
Brown linen is among the recent innovations for dressing a window. It is particularly effective where the room is treated in ecru or in different tones of yellow.
Curtains of this have interlinings of heavy cluny lace and many rows of hemstitching. The contrast of the white lace and the dark linen is quite striking and pretty. While this style of hanging is more frequently used in the bedroom, curtains of linen for the dining room are good.
Crash, old fashioned crash of the dish towel variety, can also be used with splendid success as window curtaining. The coarser the mesh the better the effect, and as this is very cheap in price the fashion should be welcomed by young or economical housewives.
On the Dining Table.
From the fair shores of Normandy comes the latest decoration for the center of the dining table. This novelty is supposed to be a fishing basket, but it is much more delicate in material and form than these used by the fishermen in the north of France.
It is made of white rustic straw and is partially enameled in white. It looks prettiest when filled with English violets, with a mauve bow tied upon the handle.
A wee orange tree is another favorite decoration for dinner. One is especially effective when in a yellow china pot. This tree makes a charming decoration for an early wedding breakfast.
Ginger Cream.
Soak a quarter of a box of gelatin in half a cup of milk for half an hour, then place the bowl over steam until the gelatin is perfectly dissolved. Add to it four ounces of granulated sugar and a pint of whipped cream, two tablespoonfuls of preserved ginger, chopped fine; two tablespoonfuls of ginger sirup and a tablespoonful of almonds, blanched and chopped very fine. Stir until it begins to thicken, pour into a mold and set on the ice. Serve in a glass dish, and powder the top with chopped almonds.
Chicken Broth.
Use the legs of a chicken for this dish. Break the joints and cut up the meat into small strips. Pour over it four cups of water, add one tablespoonful of rice and half a teaspoon of salt, then allow it to simmer very slowly for an hour and a half. Strain out the rice and meat and cool. Skim off the fat and reheat as much of the broth as is required. In hot weather the rice may sour the broth, so make without and keep the soup in a tightly corked jar in the refrigerator.—Good Housekeeping.
Gold in the Parlor.
The latest brocade for the covering of furniture in the drawing rooms and reception rooms are light, with a tendency to darker shades in the borders.
In the styles of Louis XVI. gilt is shown to a considerable extent. While the art nouveau is in demand among certain people in furniture decorations, the call for it has not yet become general.
Are You Going West.
Beginning February 15th and continuing every day thereafter until April 30th, there will be a special rate to all points in Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana and British Columbia. For maps, rates, routes and other information write at once to T. D. Campbell, District Passenger Agent, Wisconsin Central Railway, 218 Pike Building, Cincinnati, Ohio.
Use Golden Rule Flour.

Knives and the Outlanders.
Dumpty, the agitator at Johannesburg, among the outlanders who sought murder rights for themselves. President Kruger thus explained his philosophy of it to Sir Henry Loch: "Sir Henry, these people remind me of a baboon I once had which was so fond of me that he would not let any one touch me. But one day we were sitting round the fire, and unfortunately the beast's tail got caught in the fire. He now flew at me furiously, thinking that I was the cause of his accident. The Johannesburgers are just like that. They have burned their fingers in speculations, and now they want to revenge themselves on Paul Kruger."
Sweetheart Abbey.
There is in Galloway, Scotland, an ancient ruin known as Sweetheart Abbey. Within its ivy covered, storm battered walls lies buried the affectionate and devoted Dervorgilla, with the heart of her husband, John Balliol, embalmed upon her breast. Lovely in their lives, in death they are not divided. The crumbling masonry is still and must ever be a romance in its symbols of death and decay, telling every day, as it has for 600 years, the thrilling story of a woman's tender love and devotion.
—Olney brand: pens, tomatoes, corn, and beets, at Gray & Co's.
To Cure a Cold in One Day.
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.
Express letters and parcels are now carried by postoffice cyclists in Berlin.
Stops the Cough.
Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cures, No Pay. Price 25 cents.
—Comb and extracted honey at Gray & Co.
To Cure a Cold in One Day.
Take Warner's White Wine of Tar Syrup, the best cough remedy on earth. 25 and 50 cents, Ben. G. Ridgway, Pharmacist.
—Why don't you use Golden Rule flour? Your bread will always be good.
The nicest and pleasantest medicine I have used for indigestion and constipation is Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets," says Melard F. Craig, of Middlegrove, N. Y. "They work like a charm and do not gripe or have any unpleasant effect." For sale by C. M. Ridgway.
Wanted.
We would like to ask, through the columns of your paper, if there is any person who has used Great's August Flower for the cure of Indigestion, Dyspepsia, and Liver Troubles that has not been cured—and we also mean their results, such as sour stomach, fermentation of food, habitual constipation, nervous dyspepsia, headaches, despondent feelings, sleeplessness—in fact, any trouble connected with the stomach or liver? This medicine has been sold for many years in all civilized countries, and we wish to correspond with you and send you one of our books free of cost. If you never tried August Flower, try one bottle first. We have never known of its failing. If so, something more serious is the matter with you. The 25 cent size has just been introduced this year. Regular size 75 cents. At all druggists.
G. G. GREEN, Woodbury, N. J.
If great cold turned our atmosphere to liquid air it would make a sea thirty-five feet deep over the surface of the whole globe.

A LITTLE NONSENSE.
Foolish Mistake of a Man Who Was Soliciting For Charity.
The man who was soliciting for a charitable institution argued long and earnestly. He wanted a contribution of \$100. Finally the merchant reached for his checkbook.
"The Lord loveth a cheerful giver," quoted the solicitor, with cheerful satisfaction.
"Does he?" asked the merchant hesitating.
"You'll find it in the Bible," asserted the solicitor.
The merchant put back his checkbook.
"I was about to give you \$100," he explained, "but I couldn't possibly do that cheerfully. Doubtless it would be more pleasing in the eyes of the Lord if I kept down to a point where I can be cheerful."
Thereupon he handed a five dollar bill to the solicitor and smiled pleasantly.—Chicago Post.
Fully Credited That.
He—The trouble with you is you don't believe a word I say.
She—No such a thing. I believe thoroughly what you just said.—Boston Transcript.
A GREAT RELIEF
Nervous Headache—Pain Terrific—Mind Confused—The Nerves at Fault—Nerve Pills—Never Fail.
Mrs. E. Robbins, of Western Ave., London, O., says: "I have suffered for some years from severe nervousness and nervous headaches. I got a box of Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills and after a good test of the medicine I can say my nervous system has been toned up and I am not now a victim of those rocking headaches. I can speak very highly of this medicine as a nerve tonic."
Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills are sold at 50c a box at dealers or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. See that the portrait and signature of A. W. Chase M. D. are on every package.
For sale by Ridgway & Co., Druggists.
CHANGE OF TIME.
Under a new schedule in effect Dec. 14, 1902, passenger trains over the Pennsylvania Lines leave Cedarville as follows: For the East 7:42 a. m., 8:27 a. m. and 6:50 p. m. For the West 8:27 a. m., 5:25 p. m. and 8:56 p. m. For particular information on the subject apply to E. S. Keys, Ticket Agent.
NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.
Notice is hereby given that Jennie W. Ridgway has been duly appointed and qualified as administratrix of the estate of Elizabeth E. Warner, deceased. J. N. DEAN, Dec. 6, 1902, Probate Judge.
Consumption Cured—Warner's White Wine of Tar Syrup, the best cough remedy on earth, cures a cold in one day if taken in time. 25 and 50c. Ben. G. Ridgway, Pharmacist.
Over 1,000 children attending Nottingham school have learned to swim.
For a bad taste in the mouth take a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Price 25 cents. Warranted to cure. For sale by C. M. Ridgway.
—I am running a delivery wagon from the mill every day. If you want feed, meal, Graham, or flour, phone 2 on 13 and it will be delivered at your door. L. H. Sullenberger.
Subscribe for The Herald.

Clearing Sale Men's Suits & Overcoats

The late winter has brought about a conjunction of "needful" conditions—you need clothing and we need money, therefore our great winter clearance sale should attract even more attention than ever before. Last reductions on Suits and Overcoats present you a great money-saving opportunity.



MEN'S SUITS—One hundred Men's Fine Hand Tailored Suits, blues, black and fancy, values \$18, \$20, \$22 and \$23, clearance choice.....	\$ 14.75
SEVENTY-FIVE Men's Fine All-wool, carefully made Suits, in stylish cuts and fabrics, worth \$14, \$16 and \$18, clearance choice.....	\$10.00
OVER FIFTY MEN'S HONEST, SERVICEABLE SUITS, former prices \$8.00 and \$10, in this clearance sale, choice.....	\$ 5.00
MEN'S OVERCOATS, long, full, broad shouldered and short boxy coats, best designs from superior makers, \$16, \$18, \$20 and \$22 values, clearance choice.....	\$11.98
A SUPERIOR ASSORTMENT of medium length coats, mostly blacks and Oxfords, well worth \$12 and \$14, clearance choice.....	\$8.50
A WELL SELECTED line of "wear and tear" Men's Overcoats, regular prices \$8 and \$10, clearance choice.....	\$5.00
YOUTH'S SUITS—Our entire line of Youth's Fancy Suits has been divided into three sales, all finest, best made, choicest patterns, worth \$14, \$16, \$18, choice....	\$9.75
SIXTY OR MORE All-wool Scotch Suits, Hackett, Carhart & Co.'s make, values \$10 and \$12, clearance choice.....	\$7.50
A BIG LINE of good School Suits, made to sell for \$7.00 and \$8.00, clearance choice.....	\$5.00
YOUTH'S OVERCOATS, all \$10 and \$12 values, now \$7.50. All cheaper qualities, choice in clearance sale.....	\$5.00
BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S Suits, (3 to 14 years.) Choice of finest Knee Pants Suits, suitable for any season, worth \$7, \$7.50 and \$8, price in this clearance sale....	\$5.98
A GREAT VARIETY of splendid Suits, double and single breasted, best materials for service, regular prices \$5 and \$6, clearance price.....	\$4.50
POST-SEASON purchased Suits, all-wool and great bargains at \$3.50 and \$4.00, now.....	\$2.98
SOME SPECIAL SUITS, made to stand hard knocks, regular \$2.50 and \$3.00 qualities, now.....	\$1.98

Men's Trousers Department.

WORKING PANTS, part wool, wear resisting cloth, \$1.50 and \$2 values, clearance price.....	\$1.24
HUNDREDS OF STYLES in neat hair-line and fancy patterns, all wool, worth \$2.50 and \$3.00, now.....	\$1.98



Furnishings Cut to the Quick

MEN'S Heavy Derby-tipped Underwear, made to fit, price in season, 50c per garment, now, per garment.....	37c
MEN'S Fancy Shirt and Negligee Shirts, "America" make, regular \$1 and \$1.25 qualities, now.....	75c
A STRONG LINE of Fancy "Mascot" Shirts, sold the world over for 50 and 75c, choice now.....	29c
GOOD, Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, white and fancy borders, worth 10c, now.....	4c
SPECIAL LOT of Wilson Bros' Neckwear, Four-in-hands, Ties and Strings, 50c values, now.....	25c

A LARGE assortment of All-wool Trousers in elegant patterns, blue, black and striped, worth \$4, \$5 and \$6, clearance price.....

CHOICE OF ALL finest grades in the well-known "Paragon" make, worsted and Scotch effects, values, \$7 and \$8, price in this clearance sale.....

There is None So Good As The Paragon.

Grand special reduction of 20 per cent. on all fine blue, black and fancy E. M. System Suits and Overcoats. Prices from \$22 to \$35. Come first and get the best selections of the most wonderful array of Clothing Bargains ever offered.

R. S. Kingsbury, Xenia, Ohio,

50 AND 52 EAST MAIN STREET.

We Offer To-Day On Sound Ear Corn, Cool and Sweet, Delivered at Trebeins,

45½c Per Bushel, of 68 Pounds to Bushel 45½c

No Shoveling, Good Dumps: Call, Write or Telephone.

Colonial Distillery Company

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Attractive Furniture

That will be suitable for all classes, as our stock is complete in every respect and comprises different lines of:

Chairs	Bedsteads
Rockers	Mattresses
Couches	Springs
Center Tables	Washstands
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Carpets! Carpets!

We represent some of the largest manufacturing concerns in this line which enables us to quote prices that surprise all.....

J. H. McMillan, Cedarville, O.,

Funeral Director Furniture Dealer.

—For strength and color Golden Rule flour can't be beat, call for it. Gray & Co's.

—Fresh dried fruits of all kinds at Rule flour can't be beat, call for it. Gray & Co's.

Reducing Stock

—at—

Hutchison & Gibney's,

—Xenia, Ohio.—

That means this is a fine time to obtain Win or Goods just when needed. Look over the following and see what you are needing:

Underwear. No article worn is more needed to ward off colds—much cheaper than doctor bills. Combination Suits for all ages, no greater cost and quite satisfactory, per suit..... \$oc.
All Wool Garments worth \$1.25, now..... \$1.00.
Child's " " from..... 15c up.

Flannelette. 2000 yards, yard wide, just the "stuff" to make into comforters..... 83c.
Only takes 9½ yards to equal 14 of Calico, will give the 9½ yards for..... 70c.

Wraps all Marked Down; also Waiking Skirts and Dressing Scaques.

Rug Dep't. Special Sale! All Wool, 3 yards long and 2½ yards wide, at lowest price named.... \$3.75.
One yard Rugs, Samples, All Wool, nice to save carpets..... 25c.



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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Ayer.

—Call on Kerr & Hastings Bros. for anything in stove, range, coal hods, etc.

C. E. TODD,

Livery, Feed and Coach Stable.
22 and 24 North Limestone St.,
Phone, Main 797. Springfield, O.

Our Semi-Annual Cut-Price Clearance Sale

Begins Saturday, January 31 and ends Saturday night, February 7. During these Seven Days you can purchase FOR CASH ONLY, at a great sacrifice the goods mentioned in this advertisement.

Calico Remnants, 2, 3, 4c a yard.	Twenty pair Men's Boston Rubber Boots, worth \$3.00 a pair, clearance sale price \$2.48 a pair.
Outings, 6 1/2c grade at 5c a yard; 8 1/2c grade at 6 1/2c a yard; 10c grade at 8c.	Fifty pair Men's Leather Boots, all grades, at 25 per cent off regular prices.
Flannelettes, 8 1/2c grade at 6 1/2c a yard; 10c grade at 8c a yard; 16 1/2c grade at 12c a yard.	Clothing, Men's \$ 5.00 Suits for \$3.90
French Flannel Waistings, [last season's style], were 42 1/2c a yard, clearance sale price 19c a yard.	Men's all-wool 7-50 " 5-75
Three pieces All-wool Dress Goods was 50c a yard, clearance sale price 25c a yard.	" " 10.00 " 7-75
Remnants, Wool Dress Goods at 25 to 50 per cent off regular prices.	Overcoats, Four Men's—light color—Fine Overcoats, sizes 35, 37, 38, 40, regular price was \$12.50, clearance sale price \$7.00 each.
Men's Jean Pants, \$1 grade, 87c pair.	One Men's Fine Overcoat, light color, size 36, regular price \$15.00, clearance sale price \$8.50.
" Corduroy " 2.30 " \$1.98 "	Three Men's Fine Overcoats, light color, sizes 36, 37, 39, regular price \$10, clearance sale price \$5.75 each.
" Duck Coats, 2.00 " 1.70 each	Twenty Men's Fine Overcoats, latest styles, 25 per cent off regular prices.
" " 1.50 " 1.25 "	

Special--During This Sale We Sell

10 lbs. fine Granulated Sugar for \$1.00	20 lbs. Coffee A Sugar for - - \$1.00
3 lbs. fancy Cal. Evap'd Peaches, 25c	10 lb. bag Pure Buckwheat Flour, 37c
Childrens Tam O'Shanter Caps, 19c	Boys 25c Winter Caps, for - - 15c
Fine Unbleached Muslin, a yard, 5c	Boys and Girls Tan Shoes, worth \$1.25, \$1.50, for 50c and 75c a pair.
Mens Artic Overshoes, \$1.25 grade, 98c	

Bird's Mammoth Store,

P. S.--No Rebate Tickets Given With These Goods.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Get your bananas at M. H. Shroads.

Your attention is called to Bird's ad.

Naval oranges 20c a dozen at M. H. Shroads.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Ervin spent the week in Cincinnati.

T. C. Davis, the clothier was in Cincinnati this week on business.

Loest--Somewhere on Xenia avenue, a door key. Flinder please leave at Herald office.

Harry Barber is assisting with the work at Cooper's store during the sickness of George Winter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cramer, of Covington, O., took dinner with John McCampbell and family, Tuesday.

Drewie, the son of Rev. Hamilton, late of this place, died several days ago at the hospital at Columbus, of typhoid fever.

"The Storcks" a musical comedy will play a return engagement at the Grand, Springfield, Monday night. This company made a great hit there several weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown of near Xenia moved into the Gains property this week where Mrs. Brown, assisted by Miss Jennie Ervin, will keep a private boarding house.

William Turner, of Kansas has returned to his western home. Mr. Matthew Wilson and son, Samuel, accompanied him and will make their home with Mr. Turner.

Editor F. E. Vance, of West Alexander, was in town Thursday, the guest of W. H. Owens and family. Editor Vance was on his way to the meeting of the Buckeye Press Association at Columbus.

C. H. Winters, a former postmaster of Yellow Springs back in the sixties, will receive the sum of \$588 as back pay. Fourteen hundred postmasters will come in possession of money due them on salary.

A series of meetings have been held at the M. E. and U. P. churches this week. Rev. Middleton and Rev. Martin preached at the respective places. Dr. Kyle will assist in communion at the U. P. church Sabbath.

For Sale--49 acres of land 1 1/2 miles from town, five room brick house, brick milk house, brick cellar, large barn. Just the place for a new home.

J. A. McKillop, Jeffersonville, O.

"ON A SATURDAY NIGHT."

Last Saturday night was perhaps one of the worst nights that we have had since local opinion went into effect. George Dean's place in the Mitchell building was packed to the doors. Inside was a half drunken mob that was keeping up considerable disturbance. As the house has been closed in front, that is the windows, it is almost impossible to know the condition of the interior. We have been told, but cannot verify the report, that a stall has been built at the end of the bar and that the customer enters, drinks what is given him and the crowd of bystanders cannot swear what he asks for or what he drinks. However there is no goods allowed to leave the house in bottles form. If you want a drink you have to drink it right there. It is hardly necessary that the 319 local option supporters need put up with a place of this kind. Mr. Dean may have been able to run such a joint in Xenia but he certainly will not be allowed to continue such business in Cedarville.

The Farmers Institute at James-town is being held today and tomorrow. Quite a number of our citizens are in attendance.

This Week We Moved

Into our new room, across the street and three doors north, where we will be ready for business by February 2nd. We hope our friends will excuse any seeming neglect or oversight due to rearrangement of the stock for the few days it will take to get it settled.

Our new store will give us the additional room our business has long required and we will be in better position than ever before to give ideal drug store service.

Come in and see the new store as soon as we are settled. Don't wait until you need something, come anyway.

B. G. Ridgway,
Druggist
Cedarville, Ohio.

COMMUNICATION.

The history of the U. P. church as it has been given us by the pastor, Rev. P. O. Ross, from time to time in the Herald, has been intensely interesting, especially to those who were conversant with that history as it was made. The chapter in last week's Herald no less than its predecessors.

A just tribute is paid to one of the choir leaders for long, faithful and unswerving service. George, a brother of Robt. M. Jackson, led the singing many years before him, and for the most part unassisted by a choir. He was, if I may say it, a better leader and had a stronger and clearer voice, although he was not so well versed in the science of music.

An incident comes to mind that occurred during those early days. It was a week-day meeting, a large congregation was assembled, and the minister in charge gave out a whole palm containing twelve or fifteen stanzas. After singing eight or ten verses, the singing began to flatten and lag. Mr. Jackson halted but a second or two, started on another tune, in another key, and carried the congregation with him successfully. James Pressly, then pastor of the Associate Reform congregation of Cincinnati, while assisting Rev. J. H. Buchanan, during communion, passed a high compliment on the leader by saying that he had never heard his equal and if he would only go to Cincinnati with him he could command a large salary. This was before the day of paid choir leaders.

The historian seems to think that the glory is departing or perhaps more correctly, not keeping up with the fashions. He evidently has a longing for the musical leeks and onions of other churches which he thinks are outstripping them, and must therefore avail themselves, not of the cymbals, cornets and trumpets of yesteryear but the more modern musical appliances, which he hopes to make up for all lack of spiritual fervor. It may be questioned whether there is really a decadence of church music in its true sense; it may be that the praise service has not kept up with the artistic operatic song service of the modern convention or even the fashionable city churches but does it follow that there has been a decadence of the true spiritual worship. "They that worship Him must worship him in spirit and in truth."

In the days preceding the agitation of this phase of church music in churches that formed the U. P. church, there was a literary society in Cedarville. This was during the early days of Dr. Morton's pastorate, J. P. Frazier was in his prime and was an "old war horse" in a debate. Professor Fleming, referred to in the U. P. church history, Dr. Morton, B. F. Reid and others were active members and the question of instrumental music in the church service was not two or more evenings the subject of debate; Dr. Morton leading in the negative while Messrs. Fleming, Reid and Frazier upheld the affirmative, the question was: "Since it was a part of the Old Testament or temple worship does it properly belong to the New Testament worship. Dr. Morton held that the Old Testament worship was largely a material service and the musical instruments directed to be used (directed remember) were suitable to it, but not so with the New Testament, it being largely a spiritual service as above quoted.

To our mind the position taken by Dr. Morton has never been successfully assailed.

This now too lengthy paper must not close without noting the successful leadership of the present choir leader. To our mind the church music of the Cedarville U. P. church was never better rendered. The congregation may well be proud of their choir singers and to attempt to improve it by instrumental accompaniment will detract from rather than help the real spiritual service. I know it may be rendered more fascinating and more entertaining to some who are only seeking to be entertained. It may be that the very excellence of the performance will be its greatest weakness. Whenever the manner rather than the matter of the praise takes precedence in the mind of the worshiper, he is losing the very end for which this service is appointed.

HENRY KYLL.

The fire department was called out Tuesday evening in answer to a call on the north side of town. The double brick house belonging to the Stewart estate and occupied by the Beard and Wilson families, took fire from some old cloths stuffed into a blue hole in an up-stair room. There was no particular damage to the house. The faulty condition of the streets made the taking of the fire apparatus a heavy task.

Fresh California lemons, cheapest at M. H. Shroads.

WOOD'S REPORT.

As stated in the Herald several weeks ago, Examiner Wood, who has been going over the books of the Greene county officers, would give to the public some startling developments. A dispatch from Columbus states that there has been between \$60,000 and \$75,000 drawn in illegal fees during the past few years. The Xenia Gazette explains the case thus: "The report will doubtless show that there have been some unauthorized fees paid out, owing to the misdirections of the statutes, such as would be found in any county in the state." Has the average citizen ever stopped to think why the Gazette takes the stand it does, towards smoothing such things in this county? Other counties over the state are in the same fix as our own and they are being examined by the state authorities. Why has any newspaper the right to defend, any county or city official who takes advantage of the law to further his own interests at the expense of his people? There are numerous items to be explained after the report is given out. On Thursday, R. L. Gowdy brought suit against Probate Judge-Elect Marcus Shoup for \$110.20 which it is claimed was drawn illegally while in the office of Prosecuting Attorney. Six per cent interest is also asked.

Greene is not the only county in the state that is having an investigation from the state. Auditor's office at Columbus. Auglaize county is in great excitement over the report of the examiner, he having found that several thousand dollars had been taken in illegal fees by men holding different offices. At the present time there are twenty-seven suits standing against county and ex-county officials for fees and money illegally drawn. The suits against the officials and bondsmen will run the list of defendants as high as fifty. This county has been Democratic for twenty-five or thirty years.

—Fancy lemons and oranges at Gray & Co's.

Albert Wickersham to Geo. Little, 128 1/2, Cassaroreek, \$89.68.

Chas. Gillough to Robt L. Henderson, lot 48, Cedarville, \$500.

Lusanna McCarty to Chas. Gillough, lot 48, Cedarville, \$500.

Isaac H. Thorne to Clarence Chapman, 4.25 a, Cedarville, \$650.

A meeting of council was held last night for the purpose of allowing the bills incurred in the Harris murder case. The detectives, Grannun and Ferguson, of Cincinnati, were each allowed seven dollars per day and expenses. They were here nine days which makes an amount due each of sixty-three dollars. The whole expense, including railroad fare, board, delivery hire, etc., was \$165. The detectives left this morning for Cincinnati, having given up the case for the present.

The Day of Prayer for Colleges was observed Thursday in Cedarville College. The first half hour was spent in an interesting and profitable prayer-meeting led by Miss Lulu Henderson. After this the regular services began with the invocation by Rev. S. E. Martin of Xenia, Rev. W. J. Sanderson read the scriptures. Dr. Jesse Johnson of Xenia Theological Seminary preached on "The Christ Ideal of Greatness." He expressed the false ideal of greatness, told of Christ's ideal and drew the conclusion that Christ is the best example of true greatness. His sermon was earnest, logical, spiritual and effective. It was well received and many excellent comments were heard about it. After the sermon Rev. Middleton led in prayer. Dr. Morton concluded the service with the benediction. Notwithstanding the inclement weather, the chapel was filled and the interest paid throughout was complimentary both to the audience and the speaker.

A Rare Treat.

"How do you like your steak, sir?"

"Like your steak rare, sir?"

"No, I don't. But that's the way I usually get it."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Hardened Cynic.

"I have noticed," said the hardened cynic, "that about the time a man's children get to be almost half as bad as he was when he was a boy he begins to howl about the world's growing worse."—Baltimore American.

Fat and Lean.

Two friends met after an absence of some years, during which time the one had increased considerably in bulk and the other still resembled only the "filly of a man."

Said the stout gentleman, "Why, Dick, you look as if you had not had a dinner since I saw you last."

"And you," replied the other, "look as if you had been at dinner ever since."

WOULD YOU?



PAPA, if you were going on a long journey, you would leave mamma and me some money to use until your return, wouldn't you? How about that journey you will some day be compelled to take, and from which you will never return? Don't you think you ought to leave us a little money then?

"When men think of their death they are apt to think of it only in connection with their spiritual welfare, and not of the devastation in the household which will come because of their emigration from it."

"It is selfishly mean for you to be so absorbed in the heaven to which you are going that when you are dead you can go out of this world not leaving them a dollar, and yet die happily if you cannot provide for them. You can trust them in the hands of God who owns all the harvest of all the herds and all the flocks; but if you could pay the premiums on a policy and neglected them, it is a mean thing for you to go to heaven while they go to the poor-house."—[Extract from a sermon by Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage.]

There's another side to the Life Insurance Policies of the Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York. You do not have to die to reap the benefit of your policy; and this feature is especially attractive to the young man as it enables him to save money during the productive years of his life. If you are living at the end of 10, 15 or 20 years you can surrender the policy to the company and draw out all the premiums you have paid in and receive from 3 to 4 1/2 per cent compound interest. During all those years you have paid no taxes on the money and you have run the race of life free from anxiety, because you know that if you should die your wife and children would have received the face of the policy, and now your children having grown up, are supporting themselves and you draw the cold cash yourself and enjoy the use of the same in your declining years.

This company is not only the largest Life Insurance Company in the world; but it is the largest financial institution in the world, being over twice as large as the three largest banks combined in the world, viz., The Bank of England, Bank of France and Bank of Germany. Can you get anything safer? For further particulars call on or address

W. L. CLEMANS,
Special Agent, Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York.
ANDREW WINTER,
Soliciting Agent, Cedarville, Ohio.

M. Witte Knew Too Much.

During M. Witte's journey over the Siberian railway the engineer who accompanied him so arranged that certain sections of the line were to be traveled over by night. M. Witte, suspecting something wrong, stopped the train at a small station and continued his journey the next morning. His suspicions were verified. He found the line badly built, temporary bridges instead of permanent structures, and the stations not yet built.

Coffee Pudding.

A quart of breadcrumbs and sufficient coffee to moisten, three eggs, a cup of sugar, a cup of raisins, a teaspoonful of soda, a teaspoonful each of cinnamon, cloves and nutmeg. Steam one hour. Cate, cookie and doughnut crumbs may be used instead of breadcrumbs, leaving out the sugar. Drying the stale pieces thoroughly and running them through a meat chopper is the preferred way of preparing the crumbs. Sauce: A cup of sugar and one-third of a cup of butter. Rub the butter and sugar to a cream and beat in an egg until light and creamy. Lastly add a cup of preserved or fresh fruit. Strawberries are delicious in season.

The Guest's Napkin Ring.

A pretty napkin ring for the use of the "stranger within the gates" is made of linen embroidered in any pretty design and tied together with ribbon matching the embroidered flower in color. Take a piece of heavy linen about 7 or 8 inches long and 3 inches wide, have it stamped or sketch a pretty spray of flowers on it, embroider in colors and in each end embroider two eyes the same shade as the buttonhole edge.

Ready Repartee.

We have spoken of the exquisite delicacy of French wit. A happy example was the reply of Voltaire when, having extolled Haller, he was told that he was very generous, since Haller had said the very contrary of him. "Perhaps both of us are mistaken," said the wit after a short pause.

We doubt, however, if any French wit or repartee ever surpassed in delicacy the reply made by an East Indian servant of Lord Dufferin when he was viceroy of India. "Well, what sort of sport has Lord Dufferin?" said Dufferin one day to his "shikarry," or sporting servant, who had attended a young English lord on a shooting excursion. "Oh," replied the scrupulously polite Hindoo, "the young sahib shot dindys, but God was very merciful to the birds."—Saturday Evening Post.

He Saw the Fish.

A showman had a bill outside his tent which read, "Come and see the great sawed fish." A learned gentleman read it and informed the showman that it ought to be "sawd" fish.

"Yer'd better come in and see for yerself." The admission is only tuppence," was the showman's only reply.

So the learned man paid his tuppence, went in and was shown a large cod saved in half.

"Yer ain't the first gent wot's tried to teach me 'ow to spell, but I've had a good education, an' I'm running this show to prove it," grinned the man.

The learned gentleman departed, deeply meditating on the world in general and that showman in particular.—London Telegraph.

What We Escape.

"Your waist," once wrote Mrs. Barbauld to a friend, "must be of the circumference of two oranges, no more." That was in the days of stiff stays, tight lacing, high heeled shoes, towering headgear and disregard of comfort in the costume of what she elsewhere termed "the modish woman, presentably prepared for the scrutinizing eye of society."

It was also, by way of necessary relief, the day of the "shapeless short gown and sack," often worn until late afternoon or till it was necessary to go out or to receive callers, for an old day endurance of compression of two orange degree was beyond the capacity even of our heroic forefathers.

A City of Salt.

One of the most remarkable cities in the world is Kalburg, near Carrow, Poland, for, besides being situated entirely underground, it is excavated to the number of over 8,000, are of course workers in the famous salt mines, and all the streets and houses are of the purest white imaginable. One of the most famous features of the city is the cathedral, carved in salt and lighted with electric lights. Such a thing as infectious disease is unknown in Kalburg. In fact, the majority of the inhabitants die of old age.

Uncertain About Her Age.

A Boston servant, like many of her class, does not know her age. She has lived with one family eleven years and has always been twenty-eight. But not long ago she read in a newspaper of an old woman who died at the age of 100. "Maybe I'm as old as that meself," said she. "Indade I can't remember the time when I wasn't alive."—Boston Christian Register.

Use Golden Rule Flour.



One Thing at a Time

"I can't afford to advertise on a large scale," said a merchant lately, "and with my varied stock I wouldn't know where to begin on a small scale."

It is a common fallacy that the advertising must cover the whole stock.

In point of fact it never does, even with the most lavish advertisers, and, if it did, the result would be a jumble of proximity. The true policy is to select one article at a time—something moderately priced and meeting the want of the day—and push that at the people.—Palladium Record.

You are invited to try this plan in our columns. Change your ad. with every issue. Buyers watch our columns for store news.

For Excellent Work will that of any

TWENTY-S

U. P. CHURCH

BY

In the history 622 members have remove to other congregations. Many back to the Cedarville church of their own it by, there are a and precious men have passed on of yond, but the living old church and its unfeigned pleasure. Of those who have gone to distant fields scattered districts, ends of the earth wanderings and widened the circle and enlarged the sphere of old congregation. and associations have ferent from the other. Some have rolls of folds already fishing. Some have become an element and struggling communities have given encon groups of despondent districts. Some have gathered substantial Some have been missions in destitute izing congregation the and in building up settled communities.

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